

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

HARTLEY *et al.*

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For: **Recombinational Cloning Using
Nucleic Acids Having
Recombination Sites**

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Request to Open New Disk File

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants request that a new disk file be opened for the above-cited application. The substitute Sequence Listing disk submitted on **October 20, 2000** in the parent, Application No. **09/296,281**, filed **April 22, 1999** contains the identical sequence information as that in the present application. Applicants also submit herewith a paper copy of the sequence listing for the present application. The paper copy of the sequence listing and the computer readable copy are the same and do not introduce new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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